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APPLICANT(S) : Miller, et al.  
TITLE : POLYCATIONIC STEROL  
DERIVATIVES AS TRANSFECTION  
AGENTS  
APPLICATION NO. : 10/770,294  
FILED : February 2, 2004  
CONFIRMATION NO. : 1414  
EXAMINER : Ford, Vanessa L.  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. A Notice of Appeal was filed on March 31, 2006. The initial period for taking action after filing a Notice of Appeal expired on May 31, 2006.

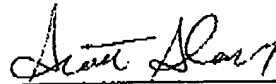
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

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